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Subject: Transportation Alternatives Program 2016

Dear Applicant:

The Mississippi Transportation Commission (MTC) has authorized the Mississippi Department of Transportation (MDOT) to solicit for applications for the Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP). The MTC encourages any city, county, state agency, college/university, or Rails-To-Trails District to apply for TAP funds.

All TAP applications shall be postmarked by the deadline date of January 29, 2016 for consideration. The guidelines and procedures for submitting project applications for the TAP may be accessed online at <http://mdot.ms.gov/portal/lpa.aspx>. Please review the application package carefully to ensure all specific eligibility TAP requirements are met.

All applications should be submitted directly to the MDOT Local Public Agency (LPA) Division. Applications will be evaluated and prioritized based on criteria discussed in the guidelines and procedures. For further information you may contact Paula H. Morgan, TAP Coordinator, in the MDOT LPA Division at 601-359-7222.

Sincerely,

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